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Expectant and Nursing Mothers
gather strength,
rich blood and
abundant nourishment
from the regular use of
Scott's Emulsion
No Alcohol, No Opium.

ROAD MEETING AT BLAINE MAY 26

COUNTY FAIR ALSO WILL BE
DISCUSSED ON SAME DAY
AT BLAINE.

A good roads meeting under the auspices of the Lawrence County Good Roads Association will be held at Blaine on Saturday, May 26, at one o'clock.

The officers and speakers are expected to be present and everybody is invited. The work for that district will be organized at that time.

Also, on the same day the Blaine people announce a meeting to elect officers for a county fair this year. Blaine wants to entertain the fair next fall and will make the first move in that direction on the date mentioned.

DEATH CAME VERY SUD- DENLY TO B. Z. JUSTICE.

Bascom Z. Justice, an employee of the lower furnace, died very suddenly Sunday shortly afternoon, his death being due to heart trouble. Mr. Justice had worked from six o'clock Saturday evening until Sunday noon and after he had eaten his dinner lay down on a bed to rest. In a few minutes he complained of not feeling well and before medical assistance could arrive he was dead. Coroner Swope was summoned and made an investigation.

The deceased was thirty-six years of age and had apparently been in good health. He is survived by his wife and a young child. The body was shipped to Louisville Tuesday morning for burial. —Ashland Independent.

WOULD GIVE SON TO HELP SAVE WORLD.

Ashland, Ky., May 12.—"I want to do as God did," said John R. Cordell, a farmer, who accompanied his only son, 17, to the Ashland army recruiting office.

"God gave his only son to save the world, and I hereby give mine to help do it," said the father.

The son was accepted and was sent to Fort Thomas.

PERCIVAL-CRUTCHER.

The following appeared in the Covington, Ky., items in last Sunday's Enquirer:

The marriage of Miss Dora Percival, formerly of this city, and Mr. Robert Crutcher, of Holden, W. Va., will be celebrated Thursday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Percival, at Eanklick. The wedding, which was to have been an event of June, was hastened a few weeks owing to the fact that the groom-elect is a member of the Reserve Corps of West Virginia and expects to be called to service at any time. The bride, who is a great favorite, is being much feted. Mrs. Massie Ellett entertained Wednesday with a beautiful luncheon at her home in Hyde Park in compliment to her. Saturday afternoon Miss Dodie Macklin gave a theater party in her honor and Monday evening her sister, Mrs. Frank Vesner, of Wallace place, entertains with a dinner in compliment to her and Mr. Crutcher.

The groom is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Crutcher, of Holden, W. Va., both of whom are natives of Louisville and have many relatives here. Robert is a fine young man in every particular. He has proved his ability as a business man and has a bright future. He has visited Louisville occasionally. Many persons here feel an interest in his welfare and their best wishes will follow him and his bride.

THOSE WHO ARE EXEMPT.

Washington, May 10.—Those absolutely exempt under the draft bill as agreed upon to-day include officers of the United States and any state or territory; ministers, students of recognized divinity or theological schools and members of "any well-recognized religious sect or organization at present organized" whose "existing creed" forbids participation in war. The last class is not exempt from non-combatant service. In addition the President is authorized to exclude or discharge from draft the following: County and municipal officers, Custom House clerks, postal employees, workmen or armorers; others in the General Government's employ, whom the President may designate; pilots and marines actually employed in sea service; "persons engaged in industries, including agriculture, found to be necessary to the maintenance of the military establishment, or the effective operation of the military force during the emergency;" those having persons dependent upon them for support, and those found to be physically or morally deficient.

NEW COMPANIES.

Velvet Oil and Gas company, Paintsville; capital \$1,000; incorporators: George F. Copeland, R. A. Patrick and Dan Wheeler.

Hopewell Oil company, Jackson; capital \$12,000; incorporators: E. E. Cunningham, W. H. Davidson and Chester Gourley.

Howard Mining company, Wallsend, capital \$600; incorporators: H. P. Howard, Daniel France and James McGlennan.

BATH CO. OIL DEVELOPMENT.

The J. N. Marcus oil well at Olympia is still flowing at a satisfactory rate.

Another well making a good showing of oil has been drilled two miles from Olympia on a lease adjoining a lease held by F. T. D. Wallace, Jr.

ENGAGEMENT OF MISS SUD- DITH IS ANNOUNCED.

The following from the Richmond, Virginia, Journal, of last Saturday will be of interest to a number of our readers. Mrs. Suddith was Miss Little Ferguson, the daughter of the late Judge and Mrs. Milton J. Ferguson, of this city. Rev. Suddith is a Baptist minister and with his family lived in Louisa and Ashland a number of years before moving to Virginia.

Rev. and Mrs. Louis H. Suddith, of Quinton, New Kent-co., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ruby Ringo Means, to Mr. Harrison Thompson Rainbridge, of Trenton, N. J., son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel B. Rainbridge. The wedding will take place in early June. Miss Suddith is a Kentuckian, the granddaughter of the late Judge Milton J. Ferguson, who was colonel of the Sixteenth Virginia regiment during the war between the states.

DR. WALKER READY TO GO AS CHAPLAIN.

Dr. S. W. Walker, pastor of the Johnson Memorial church, Huntington, W. Va., has written a letter to Bishop McCoy, at Birmingham, Ala., offering to go to war as a chaplain, if his services are needed.

Pastors of the Methodist church, South, who go to war, will go at the direction of Bishop McCoy and two other bishops. These ecclesiastical authorities recently forwarded to the President a statement tendering the services of as many pastors for chaplains as the executive should see fit to call. After the needs are made known to the bishops by the Washington authorities, the bishops in turn, will select those they desire to go.

PRESS ASSOCIATION TO MEET IN LOUISVILLE.

The midsummer meeting of the Kentucky Press Association will be held in Louisville from June 11 to 15, inclusive. Decision to that effect was reached by the Executive Committee of the association at a meeting Saturday. The coming session will be the first summer meeting ever held in Louisville by the State newspaper workers. Bowling Green and Ceredale Springs also made an effort to secure the meeting.

TRIALS OF AGRICULTURE.

"Have you a garden in your back yard?"

"I don't know yet. I have planted a lot of things, but I'm not sure whether I'm to have a garden or a free lunch for chickens." —Washington Star.

THE KENTUCKY CHIL- DREN'S HOME SOCIETY

WANTS HOMES FOR 219 CHIL- DREN NOW UNDER THEIR CARE.

To the friends of the Kentucky Children's Home Society:

In the present grave crisis of our country, we must face the unusual conditions caused by the war, and use every means to reduce the high cost of living, which is becoming a burden not only to the wage-earner, but also to the married man.

We do not know how long this war will last, but we do know that it will drain our country of her splendid young men. So many of them, from the farms as well as from the city, will respond to the call of their country, that there will be a scarcity of labor, especially on the farm, during the next few years, and we must be prepared to meet these conditions.

For their own protection, farmers should avail themselves of every opportunity to secure help on their farms, which, they admit, is already hard to get. For mercenary reason, if for no other, farmers will want sufficient hands to take care of their crops, but we know our farmers are just as patriotic as the men who go to the front.

We feel that we can help the farmers to solve their problem of securing help during the coming years, and they can help us by taking our boys and girls into their homes.

We have 219 wards here in the Receiving Home, whose ages range from a few months to 18 years: approximately 10 girls, 2 years and under. 11 girls, 3 years to 6 years. 36 girls, 7 years to 13 years. 11 girls, 14 years to 18 years. 21 boys, 2 years and under. 48 boys, 3 years to 6 years. 58 boys, 7 years to 9 years. 17 boys, 10 years to 12 years.

Many of our children are as bright and attractive as any one could wish; we have others who have some slight defect, but who are capable of being trained to do their share of work in the home or on the farm.

A large number of our children are too young now to render much service, but in a few years hence they will be of great value to those people who are generous enough and far-sighted enough to avail themselves of getting a child, who in a short time will become attached to its new home, and will be of great value to its foster parents. A farm without a boy is not complete, and farmers' wives too, need helpers. We always prefer to place our wards in small towns and country homes.

Every application will be attended to as quickly as possible. Address all letters to GEO. L. SEHON, Superintendent Kentucky Children's Home Society, 1086 Baxter Ave., Louisville, Ky.

CANS BOUGHT FOR OUR CANNING CLUBS

PUBLIC SPIRITED BUSINESS MEN ADVANCE THE MONEY TO INSURE A SUPPLY.

Some of the business men of Louisville have come to the rescue of the girls' canning clubs of Lawrence county in the matter of insuring a supply of tin cans. Through Dixon, Moore & Co., wholesale grocers, an order was placed Monday for nearly 25,000 cans. This represents a cash outlay in the future of more than \$1200.00, but it was necessary to place the order before May 15th. After that date it was reported there would be no cans for sale this season by the factories. Nearly all the tin used for plating the material used in the manufacture of cans comes from England and the war has almost stopped its importation.

Not only in Louisville or Lawrence county will make one cent of profit on the cans. The girls will get them at actual cost and will be permitted to pay for them in canned goods at the market price. Contracts will be prepared to this effect for those who desire to avail themselves of this opportunity. The needs of canning club members will be supplied first. The goods put up by these girls will be strictly in accordance with the government formula and can therefore be depended upon to be of uniform quality. The attractive feature of this arrangement is that the merchants, both wholesale and retail, know they are safe in recommending the quality of these goods.

Miss Davis, the County Agent, will handle the orders for cans wanted by the girls. Mrs. Jonas, of Louisville, was here Friday and Saturday and spoke to the meeting of business men in regard to purchasing the cans.

MRS. JONAS.

Mrs. Margaret D. Jonas, District Agent of Western Kentucky, of Home Demonstration work, has been given

supervision of Lawrence and Boyd counties, the work just being started in Boyd county last week.

Miss Chinn, District Agent of Eastern Kentucky, had Lawrence county during last year and up until this time, but when Boyd county came in, it gave her fifteen counties to supervise and Mrs. Jonas only twelve, so in order to even the work Mrs. Jonas was given both Lawrence and Boyd counties. While we regret to give up Miss Chinn, as she is very efficient and highly intelligent, with a most pleasing personality, we are glad to claim Mrs. Jonas again. She had the supervision of Lawrence county during its pioneer days of 1915, and made the first speech ever made by a woman to the Lawrence County Fiscal Court asking for appropriation for this work.

In getting Mrs. Jonas again we are not only going to have one of the foremost workers of Home Demonstration work in the South, but a lady possessing the highest type of wisdom, culture and experience.

Mrs. Jonas said had she been told that Lawrence county had made the strides of progress in all lines of agriculture work, and especially in Home Demonstration work, that it has, she could not have believed it and would have said it is impossible to have one hundred girls enrolled in the work for 1917, but after she had seen only a part of the work of the county she was fully convinced of its standing.

From Mrs. Jonas we expect to get the best and first attention and under her supervision climb up several rounds of our new ladder.

\$76,000 FOR KENTUCKY.

Washington, May 15.—Loans to farmers by the Federal Land banks have passed the \$1,000,000 mark and are being made at the rate of \$150,000 a day. If the present rate of increase keeps up the Farm Loan Board estimates keep loans during May at \$3,000,000.

Kentucky, \$76,000, and Virginia, \$23,450, are among the loans.

The board estimates loans during the first year of its operation will exceed \$150,000,000. The first issue of farm loan bonds, it was announced to-day, will be placed on the market within a month of six weeks.

THE APPEAL TO CÆSAR.

The entertainment given Friday and Saturday nights at the Masonic Hall was a very creditable affair. About 40 young people took part. Elaborate costumes of the time of Paul were imported for the occasion and added greatly to the effect of the play, "The Appeal to Cæsar." As specialties Miss Gladys Atkins sang very pleasantly, and some tiny boy scouts gave an acrobatic performance. Little Miss Esther Bestwick sang a selection very sweetly.

Good audiences enjoyed each performance. The net proceeds go to the M. E. Church.

MOTHER'S DAY SERVICES.

Mothers Day was observed generally in the churches of Louisville last Sunday. Sermons were preached on the subject and elegant tributes were paid to mothers, both in the Sunday school and church services. The churches were decorated with snowballs and other flowers and nearly all in attendance wore flowers in honor and memory of their mothers.

WILL BE MARRIED AT JENKINS.

Ironton, May 12.—The wedding of Mr. Thomas Sylvester Kinney and Miss Nora Elizabeth Nugent is to take place next week at the bride's home, Jenkins, Ky. The banns for the wedding have been read at the St. Lawrence church.

YOUNG LEITER HAS COME BACK IN WHEAT.

Chicago, Ill.—Joseph Leiter, who with his father is reputed to have lost ten million dollars in trying to corner the world's wheat supply in 1898 has "come back" in May wheat, it was reported to-day.

Leiter's earnings in the last few months are estimated at three million dollars by persons in close touch with wheat pit operations. He is said to have been active in the market since August 2, 1916, when May wheat sold at \$1.37. Yesterday it reached \$1.15 the highest figure in history.

Acting on a tip that the government would intervene in the food situation, Leiter is said to have been selling recently at enormous profits. His agents, as fast as they disposed of May delivery, are alleged to have been buying July and September. Agents of the allies principally Great Britain, are also said to have cleaned up between \$10,000 and \$15,000,000 in the Chicago pit.

LAYMEN'S UNION MASS MEETING SUNDAY NIGHT.

A union mass meeting of all four of the Louisville churches will be held in the First Baptist church Sunday evening at seven-thirty sharp. M. F. Conley will preside and the following laymen will make ten minutes addresses, choosing their own subjects: C. C. Hill, W. T. Cain, W. E. Queen, C. B. Wellman, R. C. McClure and C. F. See, Jr. Rev. A. C. Bestwick will have charge of the singing which will be furnished by a union choir. The public is cordially invited.

DISTRICT CONVENTION OF CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Dr. F. A. Millard and Floyd Wellman were in Ashland this week as delegates from the Louisville Christian church to the convention of the Sixteenth District composed of the counties of Eastern Kentucky. The meeting was well attended and prominent speakers from over the state gave addresses.

THE CAREY-REED COMPANY.

George B. Carey, of Lexington, was at Catlettsburg Tuesday and was the lowest bidder on some road work in Boyd-co. The award has not yet been made, however. His company has taken a contract to build seven miles of road in McDowell-co., and will start the work at once. George Roberts will be in immediate charge there. Mr. Carey went from Louisville to Welch Tuesday to complete preliminary arrangements.

CUTTING AFFAIR MAY HAVE FATAL END

COUSINS NEAR CLIFFORD HAVE SERIOUS DIFFICULTY WHILE INTOXICATED.

A cutting scrape occurred last week on Lick Branch of Tug river in Martin county which is expected to result fatally to one of the participants. Edgar Branham is the victim and Marvin Endicott is charged with having stabbed him. The young men are cousins and were alone at the time of the trouble. Both are said to have been under the influence of liquor, which is all the explanation needed to account for the serious affray. At last account Branham's condition was considered dangerous. They are sons of Ballard Branham and Gabriel Endicott.

A REAL PATRIOT.

Franklin, Ky., May 14.—Across the Tennessee line, near Rapids, in this county, lives a farmer, Cyrus Shultz for whom the Federal Government need never trouble to appoint a Food Control Committee. When corn advanced to \$10 per barrel Mr. Shultz refused to sell a grain except to those who needed it for bread and then he would accept only \$2.50 per barrel, or 50 cents a bushel. Already he has disposed of half his surplus at the figure quoted and absolutely refuses to sell to those who would feed hogs or cattle for speculative purposes. He could have sold the entire quantity for \$1,000, but already has allowed many of his poor neighbors to cart away a bushel upon their promise to pay.

Mr. Shultz is a small farmer and possessed of only moderate means.

FOURTEEN COUNTY DIPLOMAS.

There were eighteen applicants in the county diploma examination held in Louisville last week, all of whom passed except four. The highest grade, 90 per cent, was made by Miss Annie Jordan.

BURNS RESULTED IN DEATH.

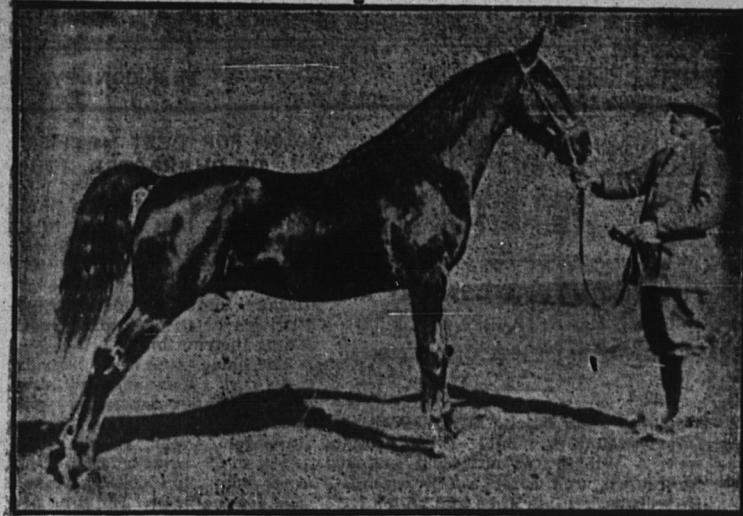
Calvin Johnson, aged 19 years son of E. W. Johnson, of Fairview, died Sunday morning at the King's Daughters' hospital from meningitis which developed from burns which he received Monday, while employed at the Solvay plant. He was burned about the face and hands.—Ashland Independent.

East Fork Stock Farm

OWNED BY TAYLOR BROS., GLENWOOD, KENTUCKY

HOME OF STERLING CHESTER

One of the Foremost Saddle Stallions in Eastern Kentucky



STERLING CHESTER is a dark brino Forest. Old Queen Denmark No. 1148, by Blue Jeans No. 3, Puss No. 109, by Black Squirrel No. 58. Nannie Garrett No. 472, by Blue Jeans No. 3, "Dolly Varden" by Mambrino Forest. Old Queen Denmark No. 1148, by Scotland T. H. Fourth dam Puss No. 109.

STERLING CHESTER is a dark chestnut, foaled in 1910, and is a half brother to the colt that sold for \$1500.

This great saddle horse will make the stand this season at the BARN OF TAYLOR BROS., GLENWOOD, KY., AT THE PITICL SUM OF \$15.00 TO INSURE LIVING COLT.

Also, when mare is traded off the money is due.

Also, we have another good horse, for which the charge is \$8.00. He is not registered, but a fine animal.

NEWS OF THE WORLD

FRIDAY.

Three dramatic events, the declaration by Rene Viviani that France would never cease fighting until Alsace and Lorraine are restored to her, the placing by Marshal Joffre of a wreath upon the sarcophagus of Gen. Grant and a reception to the French residents of New York at which members of the French mission greeted their compatriots, marked the activities of the French war envoys in the nation's metropolis yesterday.

House and Senate conferees on the Selective Draft Army Bill yesterday agreed on a compromise measure, fixing the age limits of men to be conscripted from 21 to 30 years, inclusive. The Roosevelt volunteer proposal was thrown out after being stubbornly defended by the Senate conferees. In return, the House yielded to the Senate's proposal for prohibition at military camps.

It will be virtually impossible for county and city registration boards to exercise favoritism in enrolling soldiers under the selective draft act, according to a statement issued by Provost Marshal Gen. Crowder. Officials are warned that any attempt to do so will be punished.

Attacking on a front of about four miles in the Lake Doiran region of Macedonia, British troops on one wing took Teutonic allied trenches on a front of two miles and on the other flank advanced on a front of about a mile, according to a British official communication.

Herbert C. Hoover, in a statement issued last night, declared that with control present food prices may be greatly reduced, but that if the situation is left open to the speculators further advances must be expected. Mr. Hoover

is suggested as American food controller.

After slaying his mother, father, brother and sister-in-law at their home in Todd county yesterday, Frank Millen hanged himself on the back porch of the residence. Ill health is believed to have deranged Millen's mind.

General debate on the \$1,800,000 War Revenue Bill was begun yesterday in the House of Representatives with leaders of all parties supporting it. Some attacks were made on individual features.

President Wilson yesterday appointed a "war council of the Red Cross" to take charge of the work during the war. Henry P. Davidson was named as head of the council.

American publishers will fight the provisions of the bill placing taxes on newspapers, according to H. L. Rogers, president of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association.

Members of the British war mission will leave Washington today for New York, where they will be given a joint reception with the members of the French mission.

Enrico Arlotta, Italian Minister of Transportation and a member of the Italian mission to this country, has arrived in New York.

American exports to Europe increased \$27,000,000 in March, the second month of Germany's unrestricted submarine warfare.

Former United States Senator Joseph E. Foraker died yesterday in Cincinnati.

SATURDAY.

Commonwealth's Attorneys from more than thirty counties attended a conference at Frankfort, called by Attorney General Logan, and put into motion a campaign to rid the State of ill-

legal combinations to fix the price of coal and food products, and to institute prosecutions where found under the anti-trust laws of the State.

Members of the French and British war missions were entertained at a brilliant banquet last night in New York City. Around the table, in addition to the distinguished foreign guests, sat many of the nation's foremost men, including two former Presidents of the United States.

The greeting extended the British war mission when it reached New York yesterday almost equaled that tendered the French earlier in the week. Streets through which the foreigners passed were lined with cheering throngs.

Leaders of the American bar entertained Rene Viviani during the day and exchanged felicitations on the entry of the United States into the war.

An appeal to the peoples of the world concerning the calling of a peace conference in a neutral country will be published immediately by the Council of Soldiers' and Workmen's Delegates, according to a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Council in Petrograd. At a meeting held in advance of the assembling of the Duma the president of that body was given an ovation when he declared loyalty to the Allies.

The Germans, returning to the attack yesterday against the new British position south of the Souchez River, forced the British to give ground and withdraw from a portion of the front, says the British official communication issued last night. Later, however, in a counter attack the British regained all their old positions the Germans suffering heavy casualties. The allied forces continue their successful advance on the Macedonian front.

Details of the plan of the War Department by which volunteers in Kentucky may be assured of fighting in units composed entirely of Kentuckians through organizing additional companies of the National Guard, were obtained yesterday from official sources.

The Western roads closed their case in the hearings before the Interstate Commerce Commission on a proposed country-wide increase of 15 per cent. in all freight rates, and a recess was taken until May 23, when shippers and others will present their side of the question.

Trading in May wheat was ordered stopped by directors of the Chicago Board of Trade. It is believed that the step was hastened by action of Federal authorities recently, but it was denied that any threats to place a curb on the trading had been made.

Louisville was crowded last night with visitors from all parts of the country, to witness the running of the Kentucky Derby today. Eighteen thoroughbreds are entered to face the barrier for the \$21,400 purse.

A food control bill, approved by the Administration and pending in the House, was introduced in the United States Senate yesterday by Senator Gore. Unpatriotic interests, according to Mr. Vrooman, are trying to defeat the bill.

An international agreement is being considered whereby all supplies purchased here by the Allies with the billions loaned by the United States or their own money, would be spent under the supervision of a purchasing board or even one man.

The British Government has issued a grave warning to munition workers now on strike and gives notice of punishment for the inciters of the strikes, which were not authorized by the trades unions of England.

SUNDAY.

At the close of a day such as the Chicago Board of Trade never saw before traders were asking what measures would be taken, if any, to check the sensational upward flight of wheat prices. Wheat reached \$2.75 a bushel, or 23 1/4 cents higher than Friday. Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Vrooman denounced the "food gamblers" and said the time has come when the Government must act to check the upward trend.

Reversing its previous action and overriding the Conference Committee on the Army Draft Bill, the House voted 215 to 178 to empower the President to extend authority for recruiting such a division. This sent the Army Bill back to conference, but the Senate already had adopted a similar authorization during original consideration of the measure and its conferees are expected to agree quickly to it now.

The British troops have established themselves in the village of Bullecourt, the scene of terrific fighting during the last few days, according to the official report from British headquarters in France. Fighting still continues. The British have also captured an important German trench of about two-thirds of a mile astride the Arras-Cambrai road, as well as German positions over a front of one and a half miles near Rœux.

The exact place the National Guard is to fill in the national army still is a matter of speculation in the War Department. The suggestion has been put forth that only twelve divisions of the guard be organized into tactical units for purely military purposes, and that the others be assigned for policy duty.

The entire Russian proletarian indignantly rejects the idea of a separate peace with the Germans. M. Skoboleff, a member of the Executive Committee of the Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' delegates, declared. The army should take the offensive and carry out the movements which strategy demands, he said.

The first legislative step toward conservation of the nation's food resources and a long advance toward an absolutely dry United States was taken by the Senate in approving, 38 to 32, an amendment to the Administration Espionage Bill forbidding during the war the use of cereals or grain in the manufacture of intoxicating liquor.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, appealed

Corns Loosen Off With Magic "Gets-It"

3 Drops Do the Work, Painlessly.

"I tell you, before I heard of 'Gets-It' I used to try one thing after another for corns. I still had them. I used bandages and they made my

feet so big it was painful to put on my shoe. I used salves and other things that ate off more of the toe than they did the corn. I'd cut and dig with knives and scissors, but now no more fooling for me. Two drops of 'Gets-It' do all the work. It makes the corn shrivel and get so loose that you can just pick it right off with your fingers!"

There has been nothing new discovered for corns since "Gets-It" was born. It's the new way.

"Gets-It" is sold everywhere—25¢ a bottle, or sent on receipt of price by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

ed to organized labor to protest against the proposed increase in second-class postal rates and other provisions of the War Revenue Bill which, he declared, threaten the maintenance of a free press.

Features of the War Revenue Bill, carrying \$18,000,000,000, were attacked yesterday as threatening the industry of the nation before the Senate Finance Committee, while Representatives on the floor of the House were defending the measure's provisions.

Boston yesterday welcomed Gen. Joffre, hero of the Marne, enthusiastically. Crowds filled the streets despite frequent showers. School children started a fund for French war orphans which last night had reached \$175,000.

Four hundred and four Kentuckians are among the list announced by Col. Edwin F. Glenn, commanding the Officers' Reserve Corps camp at Fort Benjamin Harrison, as having been accepted for training there.

Centralization of the Allies' purchasing needs in a single commission, possibly in one man, is almost certain to result in the appointment of only American, to the commission.

Any doubts members of the British war mission may have felt as to the sincerity of Americans have been dispelled now, A. J. Balfour declared yesterday in New York.

The way was cleared in Congress for Col. Roosevelt, if he is given authorization by the Administration, to raise a division of volunteers for service in France.

Louisville banks, represented by E. L. Swearingen, agreed yesterday in St. Louis to dispose of \$80,000,000 of the Liberty Loan allotted to this district.

Rene Viviani was given a royal welcome yesterday by Canada. At Ottawa he addressed the Dominion Parliament and was entertained by the Duke of Devonshire, Governor General of Canada.

MONDAY.

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Along the Scarpe River to the east of Arras there also have been sanguinary encounters, but again the advantage rested with Field Marshal Haig's forces.

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step forward has been gained by them on the western slopes of Greenhill Hill.

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TUESDAY.

That Great Britain is immediately to adopt a more aggressive attitude in the war with her navy is shown by the appointment of an naval staff headed by Admiral Jellicoe, one of her best sea

fighters and naval tacticians. The staff

also will have charge of speeding up

ship building and carrying out other

details necessary to the naval conduct

of the war.

Reversing its action of Saturday the Senate last evening by a vote of 47 to 37 struck out the Cummins prohibition amendment from the Espionage Bill. It then passed the bill by a vote of 77 to 6. The measure now goes to conference. The amendment forbade the use of rye grain for the manufacture of intoxicating liquors from September 1, 1917, until the close of the war.

On the front in France the British, after days of fierce fighting, have taken in its entirety from the Germans the village of Rœux, and to the east of Arras, and north of Gavrelle have pushed their line forward. No infantry engagements have taken place between the French and the Germans, but their artilleries are still roaring in the great duels which are always the forerunners of attacks.

A league of nations to enforce peace as championed by President Wilson, William H. Taft and other American statesmen was enthusiastically endorsed by a meeting in London yesterday attended by 1,200 representative men of England, including members of the House of Lords and Commons and prominent clergymen and jurists of the realm.

Attorney General Havner at Des Moines, Iowa, announced the arrest of the Rev. Lynn George J. Kelly at Red Oak, Iowa, on the charge of first degree murder in connection with the Villisca ax murder case of 1912. The minister had charge of a parish near Villisca at the time of the murders, it is said.

Opponents of the Ways and Means Committee's proposal greatly to increase postal rates on newspapers and magazines showed much strength during debate on the War Tax Bill that it appeared likely that the postal section of the measure would be one of the few to be materially modified before passage.

Orders to bring the regular army to full war strength were announced yesterday by the War Department, and organization of forty-four new regiments of "regulars" will begin to-day. The Central Department of Infantry will be mobilized at Fort Snelling, Minn., and at Fort Douglas, Utah.

Administration plans for trebling

within eighteen months America's ship tonnage available for trans-Atlantic

service were outlined before the Senate Commerce Committee by the Shipping Board, the initial appropriation to be asked amounting to \$400,000,000.

Germany's submarine campaign so far as France is concerned has not been as successful as against Great Britain's commerce and neutral shipping.

In the three months since the intensified campaign began, only seventeen French merchantmen have been sunk.

Two bank officials and a bandit are dead as the result of a bank robbery at Castle Shannon, a Pittsburgh suburb.

Another bandit was probably fatally wounded. Practically all of the \$10,000 taken by the robbers was recovered.

From April 9 to May 12, Germans to

the number of 49,579 have been made

prisoners in France by the British and

French. In addition, 444 heavy and

field cannon, 943 machine guns and 356

trench mortars were captured.

Five political parties were represented

in a delegation which called upon

President Wilson at the White House

to tell the President why they thought

they should endorse a universal suffrage

PERFECT HEALTH IS EVERY WOMAN'S BIRTHRIGHT.

A Prescription That From Girlhood to Old Age Has Been a Blessing to Womanhood.

When a girl becomes a woman, when a woman becomes a mother, when a woman passes through the changes of middle life, are the three periods of life when health and strength are most needed to withstand the pain and distress often caused by severe organic disturbances.

At these critical times women are best fortified by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, an old remedy of proved worth that keeps the entire female system perfectly regulated and in excellent condition.

Mothers, if your daughters are weak, lack ambition, are troubled with headaches, lassitude and are pale and sickly, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is just what they need to surely bring the bloom of health to their cheeks and make them strong and healthy.

For all diseases peculiar to woman, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a powerful restorative. During the last fifty years it has banished from the lives of tens of thousands of women the pain, worry, misery and distress caused by irregularities and diseases of a feminine character.

If you are a sufferer, if your daughter, mother, sister, need help, get Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription in liquid or tablet form from any medicine dealer to-day. Then address Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and get confidential medical advice entirely free. You can also obtain a book on woman's diseases, free.

Every woman should be careful that the liver is active and the poisons are not allowed to clog the system—get rid of these poisons by taking Dr. Pierce's Pellets, which regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Keep the body clean inside as well as outside!

HOME CIRCLE COLUMN

Mother's Day.

Sunday, May 13, was "Mother's Day" in the United States. From ocean to ocean it was fittingly celebrated. As a matter of fact every day in the year should be "Mother's Day." Every day we should show our mothers every mark of honor possible. These mothers have sacrificed much for us and given us their love and best thoughts. The debt we owe to them can never be paid.

Abraham Lincoln's mother died when he was ten years old. His father then married a widow. This step-mother and not his father recognized the natural ability of her stepson. Borrowed books for him to read and bought others out of her hard-earned pennies. Every child has heard of Abraham Lincoln, but how few could tell the name of his step-mother, and yet only for the loving kindness of this step-mother Lincoln would probably never have been known outside of the county in which he lived. Her name was Mrs. Sally Hanks, nee Bush.

Edison was educated at his mother's knee. A few years at a country school completed that education. Caesar was educated by his mother, Aurelia. The mother of Cardinal Gibbons was left in early life a widow, penniless and with six children to care for. Napoleon's father was a lazy Italian farmer. His Corsican mother made him the conqueror of Europe. Henry Ford's father wanted him to be a farmer, but his loving mother detected his ability in mending broken tools and her influence made him a machinist. It is hard to find a man of any note, whose success cannot be traced to his mother, and yet these mothers are seldom mentioned by the public press. One wiser than we has said, "Show me a great man and I will show you a great mother."

The years roll on, mother dearest, that bring me nearer to you, but you have never seemed very far away.

The wheels of time have left their tracks on all about us, but your dear face has remained just the same.

What you said to us and the memory of what you did for us come back to your children in the silent seasons of the night and the busy hours of the day, and never is there a sickness or trial nor a joy that you are not present in some form.

More than a thousand times since you have journeyed on we have said if only Mother were here as of old that we might say the word and do the thing we postponed or forgot.

JOHN WANAMAKER.

I cannot name any time, day or place when I was converted. It was my mother's steady and constant influence that led me gradually along, and I grew into a religious life under her potent training, and by the power of the Holy Spirit working through her agency. I feel now that the happy fifty-six years that I spent in the glorious ministry of the gospel of redemption is the direct outcome of that beloved mother's prayers, teaching, example, and holy influence.

THEODORE L. CUYLER.

My mother! It was she who put her arms around us when father died. It

was she who made it possible for us to have even the small comforts of life, and when we were so poor that we scarcely had food to eat or fire to warm us it was she who protected us. All that is good in my life, I think, has come from her; and I have never come near Northfield that I have not found myself walking nervously up and down the aisle of the car, anxious to reach home, that I might see my mother.

DWIGHT L. MOODY.

The simple gospel of the humble carpenter, preached by the twelve fishermen, has survived the centuries, and outlives all other philosophies of eighteen hundred years. I am not versed in the terminology of philosophies. I believe them to be of little use to reach the hearts and to influence the action of simple men. The simple faith of my mother is good enough for me. If we disbelieve it and thereby do wrong what of our future?

CHAUNCY M. DEPEW.

Mother love bathes this unlikeness to any other love; Tender to the object, it can be infinitely tyrannical to itself, and thence all its power of self-sacrifice.

LEW WALLACE.

The woman's task is not easy—no task worth doing is easy—but in doing it, and when she has done it, there shall come to her the highest and holiest joy known to mankind; and having done it, she shall have the reward prophesied in Scripture; for her husband and her children, yes and all people who realize that her work lies at the very foundation of all national happiness and greatness, shall rise up and call her blessed.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

In the heavens above, The angels, whispering to one another, Can find among their luring terms of love so devout as that of "Mother."

EDGAR ALLAN POE.

I remember my mother's prayers and they have always followed me. They have clung to me all my life.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

My mother she's so good to me, if I was good as I could be, I couldn't be good, no sir; can't any boy be good as her?

JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY.

HEWLETT, W. VA.

The crowd at Sunday school Sunday was rather small. We would like for everyone to come and help us.

Billie Hewlett, who has been working at Kenova, came up Saturday to visit relatives.

Misses Ida and Gustava Lester and Gladys McComas attended the meeting at Little Hurriah Sunday.

Misses Elizabeth and Eliza Akers were the guests of Miss Bertha Hensley Sunday.

Earl Brown was at Potter Sunday evening.

Miss Shirley Hensley has gone to Huntington, W. Va., for an extended visit.

Henry Sturgill was transacting business in Kentucky Monday.

C. E. Hensley of Ashland was here on business Monday.

Misses Bertha Hensley, Lizzie and Eliza Akers attended Sunday school at Hewlett Branch Sunday.

R. T. Hall was shopping in Louis Saturday.

Henry Akers was a caller at Potter Sunday.

The farmers of this community seem to be very busy plowing, planting, etc.

Several boys and girls of this place went out fishing Friday afternoon, which proved to be a success, as they came home with large strings of fish. They say they will go again in the near future.

Don't forget the Sunday school.

DAISIES.

ROVE CREEK.

The pie mite Saturday night was quite a success. We wish to thank the boys for good order and contribution. We will have another pie mite the first Saturday night in June. Every body come and help us. Proceeds to get an organ for Sunday school.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Ira Copley and extend to family our deepest sympathy.

Mrs. Wade Vanhorn spent Saturday night with home folks.

Several from Newcomb attended the pie mite here Saturday night.

Misses Carrie Vanhorn and Ada Stew art were business callers in Buchanan Saturday.

Mrs. Lucy Smith spent Saturday with her mother who is very ill at this writing.

Homer Vipperman of Sherdonale, was the guest of Nola Vanhorn last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Vanhorn and family attended Sunday school here Sunday.

Fred Moore was calling on Carrie Layne Saturday night.

Several from here are planning to go to Newcomb Sunday to baptizing.

Julia Ruggles was calling on the Misses Vanhorn Thursday.

Nola Vanhorn spent Saturday night with her cousin Lucy Powell.

Everybody come to the pie mite the first Saturday night in June.

WILD ROSE.

SMOKY VALLEY.

Services were largely attended at this place Sunday night.

Mrs. S. K. Muncey continues very ill. Mrs. T. H. Bowe and little daughter Edith, of Busseyville, were calling on Mrs. Fred Bradley Thursday.

Several young folks were at George Diamond's Sunday afternoon.

Grant Roberts was in Ashland Monday to see his mother who was very sick.

George Jones of Mazie is among friends of the valley.

Miss Irene Philrell and Junior Barnett were the pleasant guests of Miss Marie Bradley Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Cyrus was calling on Mrs. Clevenger Sunday.

Sorry to hear of the sudden illness of Miss Loraine Muncey.

Miss Bessie Bradley of Madge was the guest of Marie Bradley Wednesday.

Mrs. Milt Pickrell and Emma Muncey were visiting Mrs. S. K. Muncey Saturday.

Miss Martha Roberts was a caller

at Madge last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Meade were called to the bedside of his mother who is very sick at Georges creek.

Mrs. John Ferrill spent a few days with her sister Miss Laura Carter last week.

Rev. Grizzel filled his appointment at the Bethel camp ground Sunday.

Miss Bessie Muncey of Martin county, has returned home after an extended visit with relatives at this place.

Miss May Pickrell has returned home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. S. W. Dodson of Ashland.

Little Doreen Josephine, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wallace who has been threatened with pneumonia, has recovered.

Services will be held at the camp ground the fourth Sunday at 2:30. Also, remember the prayer meeting at the Log church Wednesday night.

DAFFODIL.

Church at Calf creek Sunday was largely attended.

Mrs. Ben Costle and daughter, Verda, were visiting relatives Sunday.

Several of the Stilham boys were on Calf creek Sunday.

Aubrey Porter and Hazel Castle were out horseback riding Sunday.

Edgar Branham, who was badly cut with a knife by Marie Endicott, May 4th, is slowly improving.

Miss Georgia Bowen has gone visiting her sister at Milo for the past week.

Everett Williamson and Miss Gertrude Castle were visiting on Calf creek Sunday.

C. H. Bowen was shopping in Job Monday.

Mrs. Solomon Castle is very ill at this writing.

O. I. C.

TUSCOLA.

Never were farmers busier or had a gloomier prospect for good crops. Jack frost in all his glory was here Monday morning just to show what he could do.

Pastures are not growing and cattle are not making the gains they would under more favorable circumstances.

Farmers that planned to raise a crop of tobacco will not have plants to set their ground and will plant their land in corn instead of the weed.

Mrs. C. W. Rice and children spent Sunday with friends at Dennis.

Gene Queen and Andrew Adkins were here last week and learned a good son, one that will do them good and son will long be remembered.

Rev. Will Crabtree preached a very interesting sermon here Sunday to a large congregation.

Rev. Roland Hutchison will preach here next Sunday morning.

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There is a great responsibility devolving on parents and they should see that their children keep good company or none. We are measured by the company we keep.

JUCKLENS.

MT. ZION.

Miss Armina Moore entertained quite a number of young folks at her home Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Byington returned home Sunday last from Ashland where she has been visiting her son and daughter.

Delbert Crum and Virgin Clay attended Sunday school at Tyree Sunday.

Nora Clay left Monday last for Louisa where she will spend a few weeks.

L. C. Fannin and family attended quarterly meeting at East Fork chapel Sunday morning. Also, Grant Powers and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Clay were calling on Rev. Moore and wife Sunday.

Quite a number of young people took a walk up Bear creek Sunday.

Denver Clay returned home Monday from Louisa where he has been visiting his sisters.

BETTIE.

Columbus, O., May 12—"When starvation threatens, eat sparrows," is the advice of Claude Meeker, a local broker.

Meeker was emphatic in his assertion that the noisy little birds after proper culinary treatment, are as good tasting as they are noisy. Also, eating sparrows would help in exterminating them, he added.

CONSTIPATION

And Sour Stomach Caused This Lady Much Suffering. Black Draught Relieved.

Meadows, Ky.—Mrs. Pearl Patrick, of this place, writes: "I was very constipated. I had sour stomach and was so uncomfortable. I went to the doctor. He gave me some pills. They weakened me and seemed to tear up my digestion. They would grip me and afterwards it seemed I was more constipated than before.

I heard of Black-Draught and decided to try it. I found it just what I needed. It was an easy laxative, and not bad to swallow. My digestion soon improved. I got well of the sour stomach, my bowels soon seemed normal, no more griping, and I would take a dose now and then, and was in good shape.

I cannot say too much for Black-Draught for it is the finest laxative one can use."

Theford's Black-Draught has for many years been found of great value in the treatment of stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Easy to take, gentle and reliable in its action, leaving no bad after-effects, it has won the praise of thousands of people who have used it.

WILD ROSE.

SMOKY VALLEY.

Services were largely attended at this place Sunday night.

Mrs. S. K.

BIG SANDY NEWS.

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A fleet of U. S. torpedo boat destroyers has crossed the Atlantic and is now actively at work in the submarine zone.

The present season has been unusually backward for farmers, just at the time when all are trying to double the products of the farms. Such a continuous spell of cold weather in April and May has never before been experienced in this latitude.

Congress has agreed that the age of conscription for the army shall be 21 to 30 inclusive. The two branches have also agreed on a provision that will permit Col. Roosevelt to raise a volunteer army and take it to Europe.

The section regarding pay as agreed to by the conferees provides that all officers and enlisted men of the forces to be raised by conscription shall have the same pay, allowances and pensions as the regular army, and makes these increases in the pay of enlisted regulars; those receiving \$15 to \$21 per month, an increase of \$15 per month; those receiving \$25, an increase of \$12; those receiving \$30, \$36 or \$40, an increase of 8 and those receiving \$45 or more, an increase of \$2.

Russia is passing through a great period of uncertainty and unrest, with German agents doing everything in their power to add to the trouble. The new government is not yet fairly established. The President has appointed a commission headed by Elihu Root to go to Russia to assist in establishing the republic. Financial aid will be extended to whatever extent may appear to be necessary. The tremendous task of changing the form of government so radically, and especially with a large war on, is enough to stagger almost any set of men. \$9,000.

000 persons in Russia are said to be unable to read. Russia owns one-seventh of the world's land and its population constitutes one-sixth of the inhabitants of the earth. If Germany should succeed in her efforts to make a separate peace with Russia and his monstrous ambition to rule the world would be greatly increased. The United States would be called upon to send millions of men to Europe if this should happen.

PLEASANT RIDGE.

Sunday school was very interesting Sunday. 41 in attendance. 65c collection. That sounds fine for Pleasant Ridge.

Mrs. M. Nelson is in Columbus, Ohio, visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. V. Chapman.

Miss Laura Belle Damron of Evergreen attended Sunday school here Sunday.

We have lots of interest in a canning club here. Miss Davis has had one meeting at Mrs. Wm. Shannon's. This week they will meet at "Haws" and Miss Davis is to discuss ways of starting the girls right to work. Some have their seeds already sown, some will have to have plants.

Mrs. Georgia Roberts was shopping in Louisa Saturday.

Mrs. J. N. Roberts, who has been very ill for some time at Ashland, is improving and is expected home some time next week. Also, aunt Resa Muncay is said to be some better.

Mrs. Tiddell Turner was the guest of the Haws' children Sunday.

Mrs. Mattie Meek spent Sunday with Mrs. Lydia Hutchison at Busseyville, who is very ill at the home of her brother, F. R. Bussey.

Allen Hutchison attended church at Smoky Valley Sunday and Monday nights and reported good meetings.

Miss Grace Damron of Louisa spent Saturday night and Sunday with home folks. She was accompanied home by J. H. Preece of the K. N. C.

Mrs. Wm. Barnett and son Junior spent Tuesday in Louisa visiting relatives.

WALBRIDGE.

Employees of the United Fuel and Gas company have begun work preparatory to the erection of the gasoline plant at this place. Employment for 25 or 30 men during the erection and 8 or 10 men after completion, will be provided by this enterprise.

The site is on land purchased from

Col. J. H. Northup, one mile from Walbridge station, near the school building of this district. Mr. Boothe, of Cincinnati, has charge of the work and expects to have his family here soon.

The program rendered May 6th, celebrating the one-hundredth anniversary of the American Sunday School Union, was very interesting. Miss Jock See had charge of the program. A picture of four of the most important missionaries of this society was unveiled by Anna Stump and Jessie Brooks. The Sunday school here feels doubly indebted to this society, for the society represented by Rev. L. M. Copley of Ashland, organized the school and aided us in many ways, which enabled us to carry on the work successfully.

The young peoples society, under the leadership of Miss Marie Holt, had an interesting program, in honor of Mother's Day.

Alex Stump is visiting home folks.

A. C. Ferrell returned to his work Monday after visiting home several days.

Several citizens of this place were in Louisa Saturday.

Sam Frashure of Ft. Gay was the guest of relatives here last week.

Chris. Ferrell of Sciotoville is home for a visit.

PAM.

JUST GOT OVER A COLD?

Look out for kidney troubles and backache. Colds overtax the kidneys and often leave them weak. For weak kidneys—well, read what a Louisa man says:

K. F. Vinson, Water St. Louisa, says: "Whenever I have had a spell of kidney trouble or rheumatic twinges, I have bought a box of Doan's Kidney Pills. They have removed the pains from my back and have driven the rheumatic twinges from my limbs. My back has sometimes been lame when I have over lifted and I have been subject to rheumatic twinges after taking cold. The trouble has generally been in my limbs, from my hips down, just like sciatica. My kidneys have acted too frequently, bothering me at night by causing me to arise often. All of these symptoms have disappeared after I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and I have felt like a different person, strong and active."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Vinson had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

TUBERCULOSIS COMMISSION.

According to statistics about 5,000 people died in Kentucky of tuberculosis in 1916, 37 in this county. By the observance of very simple rules of treatment a large majority of these lives might have been saved, the cures, when cases are taken in time showing nearly 85 to 100. To awaken public sentiment to the importance of combating the disease, the Tuberculosis Commission, with headquarters at Frankfort, will wage a most vigorous campaign to educate the masses to the fact that consumption is no longer regarded as a necessarily fatal disease but is both curable and preventable.

In this endeavor citizens of every class are urged to help and Kentucky will no longer suffer from the fact that there are more deaths from consumption in it yearly than in any other state, population considered.

Dr. W. L. Heizer, executive secretary of the commission will gladly furnish any information on the care and treatment of the disease and with the assistance of your physician insure you of cure if it is taken in time and

Plenty of fresh air, diet as prescribed by a physician, cleanliness and the observance of simple health rules have cured thousands of cases of tuberculosis. Do not despair but communicate at once with the Tuberculosis Commission at Frankfort.

VERSE IS OLD MAN'S "BIT."

Sixty years ago in a little red school house in Orange, Willie Graves learned by heart for the Friday afternoon "piece speaking" a little poem on thrift. A little later came the Civil war, during which high prices gave the poem a special application. So it became a part of every week's ritual in the red school house for Willie Graves and his fellow scholars to rise and gravely repeat the poem on thrift in unison—like church folk in a responsive reading. Willie Graves learned the poem so well that he could never forget it.

Now the other day Willie Graves, whom time has transformed into Willard A. Graves, a white-haired business

man, fell to pondering the question of how a stoutish, short of breath old fellow could do his "bit" in the great "national emergency." And all at once he recalled the poem. He thought, if it had an application in Civil war times, it must have at least ten times as much application now. So he has caused the verse to be thrown on the screen at a popular movie theater. It reads:

I must not throw upon the floor the crust I will not eat.
For many hungry little ones would think it quite a treat.
For willful waste makes woe want and I may live to say,
"Oh, how I wish I had the bread that once I threw away."

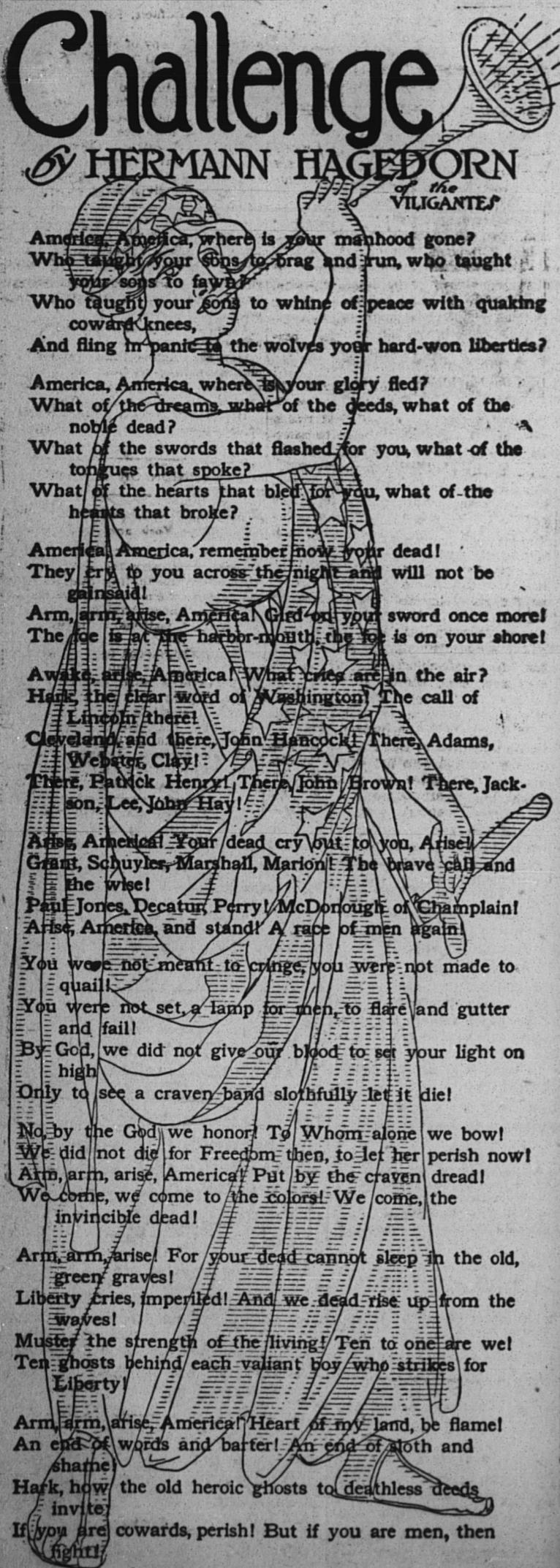
—Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

Warbridge Mining company, Williamson, has been organized to operate in Mingo co.; capital \$100,000; incorporators: Wells Goodykoontz, Harry Schery, L. G. Bray, B. Randolph Bias and G. R. C. Wiles all of Williamson.

Go—
After
Business

In a business way—the advertising way. An ad in this paper offers the maximum service at the minimum cost. It reaches the people of the town and vicinity you want to reach.

Try It—
It Pays



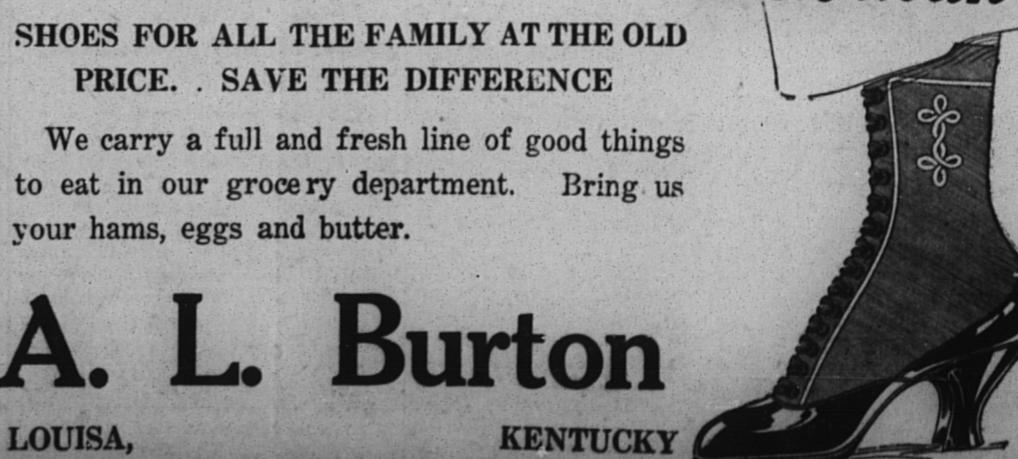
We have on display in our store, and more coming every few days, the latest styles in millinery goods. Ready-to-wear hats both in Ladies and Children styles. These are 1917 styles only. We also have a competent trimmer who can change or make a hat to your own taste on short notice.

Come and see for your self.

PRICES REASONABLE

New spring dry goods are coming in. All kinds of fine silks, crepe de chine and many other different assortments of fine dress goods. The non Rustable corsets. Fine lace, embroideries, nettings and all kinds of window curtain. Goods from 10c up. Spring and Summer underwear.

American Lady Shoes



If You Could Only Know

As Well As We Do

HOW MUCH BELOW PRESENT MARKET VALUES A LARGE PORTION OF OUR STOCK IS, YOU WOULD NOT LOSE ANY TIME IN BUYING ALL YOU WILL NEED FOR SOME TIME TO COME. ALL WE CAN DO IS TO TELL YOU HONESTLY AND ADVISE YOU EARNESTLY TO BUY NOW. WE HAVE BEEN URGED BY TRAVELLING MEN AND OTHER MERCHANTS TO MAKE LARGE ADVANCES ON OUR PRESENT STOCK, BUT WE ARE NOT TAKING THEIR ADVICE.

W. H. Adams, *Louisa, Ky.*

BIG SANDY NEWS.

Friday, May 18, 1917.



You Know Him.
He is not lazy, he'll be bound;
And he is not a shark;
He merely likes to sit around
While other people work.
—Luke McLuke,

Good Bargains in floor Rugs at
Burton's Store

Mrs. J. A. Lowry has been quite sick
for several days.

Mrs. Victoria Prichard has been very
sick for several days.

Mrs. Martha McClure has been very
ill for several days.

Call for the Famous Lord Calvert
Coffees at A. L. Burtons

D. L. Thompson and family moved
to their farm to spend the summer.

Go to Justice's store for the latest
Spring Styles in all lines.

There will be an ice cream social at
Mary's Chapel May 26th, for the bene-
fit of pastor.

Hats! Hats! Ladies and Misses
Hats at your own price at Justice's
Store.

A. O. Carter's residence has been im-
proved by the addition of a large con-
crete porch.

The county teachers' examination will
be held here Friday and Saturday, May
18 and 19.

Sam Starr, 25, of Martin-co., and
Mary Ramey, 17, of Boyd-co., were
married in Cattellburg.

Louisa friends of Mr. G. W. Gunnell
regret to hear of his serious illness at
his home in Cattellburg.

Mr. C. B. Crutcher, who was so se-
riously hurt several weeks ago, is able
to go about on crutches.

Mr. Gray and family, formerly of
Owingsville, are occupying the Mrs.
Martha McClure house on Perry and
Lady Washington-sts.

RESIDENCE FOR RENT.—6 room
house, with bath, water and gas, and
desirably located. Apply to A. M.
HUGHES, Louisa.

W. J. Vaughan, S. W. Bartram and
G. J. Carter have bought Ford machines
this week from Augustus Snyder, local
agent in Louisa.

Mr. E. E. Shannon, local agent for the
Overland automobile, has received a
letter from the factory at Toledo off-
ering positions to ten young men of
about 18 years and over, at good wages.
No experience necessary.

Spring apparel at Justice's. Coats,
suits, one piece dresses, hats, shoes,
skirts, waists—a complete line of spring
apparel arriving each week.

Mr. Doc Vinson, who suffered a pa-
ralytic stroke at his home in Cattell-
burg, has been taken by his daughter,
Mrs. Janie Vinson Allen to her home in
Harridburg.

Leander Stepp, of Portsmouth, Ohio,
underwent an operation in Riverview
hospital one day this week, and is get-
ting along nicely.
J. B. Rigsby is getting better.

Prof. J. B. McClure, principal of the
Chattaroy, W. Va., schools, and Miss
Chattie Sullivan, who taught there,
have returned to their home in this
city.

Mrs. Dora Greer has returned from
Wayne, W. Va., where she had been
several weeks as trained nurse in the
home of Dan Hardwick, whose child
has been very sick.

The many friends of Mrs. Jno. Hatch-
er, who has been critically ill at her
home at Rush, Ky., will be glad to
know that she is thought to be out of
danger.

"Reuben" a negro hobo whose left
leg was cut off by a C. and O. train at
Chapman three weeks ago has recovered
sufficiently to go to his home in
Atlanta.

G. B. Carey and G. B. Roberts left
on Wednesday for Welch, W. Va., on
road contract business for the Carey-
Reed company, of Lexington, of which
Mr. Carey is a member.

Dr. C. B. Walters was in Louisville
last week where he attended the an-
nual meeting of the Kentucky Dental
Association. He reports an excellent
meeting this year. He returned home
on Sunday.

The Kentucky Gem Coal company,
owned by F. L. Stewart and John C.
Hatcher, is enjoying a fine line of busi-
ness now. The mines are located at
Kilgore, in Carter-co. The grade of
coal is excellent and they are having
no difficulty in selling all their output
at good prices.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 14.—On ac-
count of the large number of applicants
to take the officers' reserve training at
Fort Harrison, it was necessary to turn
down 4,283 men eligible for the course.
Col. Edwin F. Glenn, in charge of the
camp announced today. Large numbers
of men arrived from Cleveland, Colum-
bus, Cincinnati and other Ohio cities
today. All successful candidates are
expected to be on hand tonight for the
first day's work tomorrow.

The Ashland Independent says:

L. M. Copley, who travels for the
American Sunday School Union, is at
home this week on Carter-av., near 31st
street. Mr. Copley and family came
here recently from Louisa and bought
this spacious home which they are
greatly enjoying. This is a splendid
family and quite an acquisition to the
neighborhood.

C. E. Hensley, who moved here re-
cently and bought property on East
Carter-av., on 31st street, is building a
large porch and remodeling his home.

Mrs. W. H. Foglesong had as her
guest this week her nephew, Mr. Wayne
Wilson. He has been teaching in a
school in Michigan and is returning to
his home in Ceres, Va.

Will Conley has returned from Wil-
liamson, W. Va., where he has had em-
ployment for some time.

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BIG SANDY NEWS.

Friday, May 18, 1917.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Daisy Marrs Ray has returned to Inez.

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Rev. J. H. Dawson was up from Buchanan Monday.

Rev. L. M. Copley, of Ashland, was in Louisa Monday.

Mrs. T. W. Shank has been visiting relatives in Russell.

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Mayor R. L. Vinson returned Wednesday from Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hicks, of Jattie, were in Louisa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Short, of Yatesville, were in Louisa Saturday.

Mrs. S. F. Roberts, of Madge, was a Louisa visitor on Saturday.

Miss Marie Roberts and Pairlee Davis were at Zelma Monday.

Miss Virginia Hager returned Sunday from a visit in Ashland.

D. J. Buffett, Jr., was a business visitor in Greenup this week.

Miss Claudia Hammond, of Jattie, was a visitor in Louisa Saturday.

F. L. Stewart returned last Friday from a business trip to Pittsburgh.

Mr. Morgan Spradlin, of Prestonsburg, visited friends in this city last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. D. Wallace went to Cincinnati Thursday for a few days' visit.

Roscoe Hays, of Charley, was in Louisa Friday and called at the NEWS office.

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Mrs. A. O. Carter and son, Burgess, returned Thursday from a visit of several days at Kise.

Mrs. G. W. Riley and Miss Edna Riley, of Richardson, are visiting in Williamson, West Va.

Mrs. M. S. Burns went to Cincinnati Wednesday to visit her daughter, Miss Kizzie Clay Burns.

Forrest Sammons, of Portsmouth, O., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sammons, last Sunday.

R. V. Garred returned to his home in Frankfort, accompanied by his sister, Miss Victoria Garred.

Will Conley has returned from Williamson, W. Va., where he has had employment for some time.

Mrs. W. H. Foglesong had as her guest this week her nephew, Mr. Wayne Wilson. He has been teaching in a school in Michigan and is returning to his home in Ceres, Va.

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G. B. Carey came from Lexington Monday for a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carey.

Master Foster Queen, of Van Lear, accompanied Miss Merle Riffe to Louisa for a visit to relatives.

Mr. T. J. Smith, of Whitepost, was a visitor in Louisa Thursday. His daughter is attending school here.

Misses Julia Snyder, Opal Spencer and Clara Bromley were shopping in Huntington, W. Va., Monday.

Miss Marie Roberts and sister, Lu-
cie, of Cadmus, were guests of Miss Elizabeth Woods last Friday.

Misses Lois and Virginia Stringel-
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visiting Miss Dorothy Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned G. Branhams, of Pikeville, were visiting Lawrence County relatives the first of the week.

G. B. Roberts arrived from Lexington Sunday evening for a visit to home folks before going to Welch, W. Va.

Mr. E. W. Chambers, of Huletts, was in Louisa Wednesday on his way to Virginia for a visit to his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Queen and children, Miss Clara and Paul, have returned from a visit in Cattellburg.

Milton Sammons accompanied his brother, Forrest Sammons, to his home in Portsmouth, O., Sunday for a visit.

Mrs. King, of Parkersburg, West Va., and Mrs. Lennington, of Pollard, were guests this week of Mrs. George Keggs.

Prison Commissioner F. T. Hatcher passed through Louisa Sunday, returning to his home in Pikeville from Frankfort.

Mrs. F. L. Stewart and daughter, Miss Vivian Hays, were visitors in Huntington and Ashland the first of the week.

Miss Dolly Peters, of Charleston, W. Va., was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Peters last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Hunt and children, of Hurley, Va., have moved to Louisa and are occupying the Forrest Sammons residence.

Miss Merle Riffe, who has been teaching at Van Lear, went to Huntington, W. Va., Tuesday and returned to Louisa on Wednesday.

After spending several weeks with relatives in Cattellburg and Ceredo, W. Va., Miss Edith Marcum returned to Louisa last Sunday.

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Agent for all of Lawrence county except a small portion on north side, and also agent for Fort Gay district, Wayne county, West Va.

OBITUARY.

On Thursday, April 19, 1917, the death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rayburn and took from them their darling little baby, Robert, age two months and four days, a bright, sweet and loving child. While its stay here on earth was short and its suffering great we should not weep for him; for he is only sleeping, sleeping safely in the arms of Jesus; so let us all live like unto this little child that when the time comes for us to go we to may cross over the Jordan and enter safely through the pearly gates and clasp to our breast this tiny little form never to part with him again. His death was due to whooping cough. Weep not for him, dear father and mother, brothers and sister, but just live so as to meet him on that eternal shore.

There's a pair of little hands

Laid to rest forever more,
And two pairily dimpled cheeks,

Whose rich blossoming is o'er.
Death has sealed two little eyes

That will no more weep or weep,
Tiny windows of the soul

Little baby's gone to sleep.

He will wake in fairer lands,
Where the angels voices sing,

There the flowers shall expand.

There shall love perfection bring.
He has reached the golden shore.

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He was laid to rest in the Christian cemetery. Rev. Jake Puckett had charge of the funeral. A FRIEND.

HICKSVILLE.

Lewis Reeves and family of Fisher town, have moved into our neighborhood.

Mrs. John Hays attended the baptism of Mrs. Clem Boggs of Lick creek

Sunday.

Mrs. A. L. Hicks and daughter, spent Monday with Mrs. Calvin Holbrook.

Miss Cannie Hays visited Mrs. Lucy Holbrook Saturday.

Miss Kathryn Giles, who has been attending school at Grayson, is expected home soon.

There will be services at the Baptist church Saturday and Sunday by Bros Berry and Hicks.

Delmer and Jessie Reeves were recent callers at Fischertown.

Calvin Holbrook and wife visited relatives at Louisville Friday.

W. M. Holbrook went to Grayson Monday morning where he was married to Mrs. Mary Campbell. The happy couple returned, bringing with them their adopted daughter, Miss Inez.

Wesley Holbrook, who has been in the west for some time, visited home recently.

Mrs. Cecil Hicks and Mrs. L. A. Reeves and children spent Wednesday with Mrs. E. G. Pinkerton.

Little Inez Virginia Hays, who has been sick, is improving.

Luther Gies of Fischertown, passed through here recently.

Bryan Pinkerton and Charley Holbrook called on friends at Irish creek recently.

Will Elswick was a business caller here one day last week.

Dr. D. J. Thompson passed through here Tuesday.

Miss Elizabeth Kelley and Miss Cannie Hays spent one evening this week with Miss Hovis Pinkerton.

G. W. Holbrook still proves to be a hustler on the mail route.

Thos. Hays was a caller at E. G. Pinkerton's Sunday evening.

Miss Lottie Holbrook has gone to Webbville to spend a few weeks with Mrs. Thompson.

W. M. SAVAGE
Master Commissioner.

town Tuesday.

Ford, the one year old child of L. A. Reeves and wife is very ill.

E. J. McKinney was in our neighborhood recently.

Miss Inez Campbell visited Miss Stella Dalton Wednesday.

Mr. Wm. J. Fields, who had been in a Huntington, W. Va., hospital several weeks has so far improved as to be able to return to her home at Olive Hill this week.

E. W. Bush, grand prelate of the Knights of Pythias of West Virginia, and J. W. Christy, D. D. G. C., will attend a rally of Mountain Jewel Lodge No. 81, Knights of Pythias, at Wayne Saturday, May 19. The meeting will be in the nature of a social gathering.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution directed to me, which issued from the Lawrence Circuit Court at its February term, 1917, in favor of the Gilbert Grocery Co., against Nelson Boggs for the sum of \$166.21, with interest from April 21, 1916, until paid, and the costs herein, I or one of my deputies will offer for sale at the front door of the courthouse in Louisa, Lawrence-co., Ky., about one o'clock p. m., Monday, May 21, 1917, being County Court day, the following tract of land or so much thereof as may be necessary to produce the sum ordered to be made.

The property to be sold is a tract of land in Dry Fork creek in Lawrence-co., Ky., known as the Nelse Boggs farm and adjoins H. N. Fischer's land on the east and west, and the A. V. Webb farm on the north and west.

Sale will be made on a credit of six and twelve months, bond with approved security being required of the purchaser, having the force and effect of a replevin bond, and a lien retained on the land to secure payment of the purchase price.

R. A. STONE, S. L. C.
By WM. SHANNON, D. C.

Commissioner's Sale.

Green Hays, Executor of the estate of John Hayes deceased, and others vs.

W. T. Hays, Defendant.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Lawrence Circuit Court rendered at its regular January term 1917, in the above style case, I will proceed to offer for sale at the Court house door in Louisa, Lawrence County, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, at 1 o'clock P. M., on May 21st, 1917, (being County Court day) the following real estate of the said John Hays deceased, and known as the home place of John Hays, (deceased), situated on Georges Creek in Lawrence County, Kentucky, and being the same in which Elizabeth Hays by the will of John Hays was given a life estate, (said will is recorded in will book 3 page 301 in Lawrence County Clerk's Office) and bounded as follows: On the North by the lands of Sarah Hayes, on the East by the lands of Sarah Hayes and on the south by the lands of Major Hays, and on the West by the lands of Lucy Justice, number of acres not known, supposed to be about 85 acres. Said land is to be sold and divided as follows: One-tenth to Laura Hays Nickell and nine-tenths to Major Hays.

Sale will be made on credit of six months, and the purchaser will be required to execute bond payable to the undersigned Commissioner with approved security and a lien reserved on the property for said debt, interest and cost, and to have the force and effect of a judgment.

W. M. SAVAGE
Master Commissioner.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DEMOCRATS

Charles B. Peters
For County Court Clerk.

We are authorized to announce CHARLES B. PETERS of Cliford, Ky., as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democratic party in the primary election in August, 1917.

William Taylor
For Sheriff.

W. M. TAYLOR, of Glenwood, an-
nounces that he will be a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party in the next primary election at which candidates for Sheriff are to be nominated.

J. C. Short
For Jailer.

We are authorized to announce J. C. SHORT (better known as Tode) for Jailer of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary election of August, 1917. Your support is solicited.

W. D. Shannon
For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce W. D. SHANNON as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democratic party in 1917 primary.

William Shannon
For Sheriff.

This is William Shannon, who lives on Lick creek, four miles from Louisa, and is the son of former Sheriff Andy Shannon, deceased.

Jim Sparks
For County Court Clerk.

We are authorized to announce JIM SPARKS, of Yatesville, as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democratic party in the primary election in August, 1917.

Martin L. Wright
For Assessor.

We are authorized to announce MARTIN L. WRIGHT, of Gladys, Twin Branch Precinct, as a candidate for Assessor of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democratic party in the August, 1917 primary.

Thomas Murphy
For Jailer.

We are authorized to announce THOMAS MURPHY, of Yatesville, for Jailer of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary election of August, 1917.

Roland Hutchison
For Assessor.

We are authorized to announce ROLAND HUTCHISON, of Dennis, as a candidate for Assessor of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democratic party in the August, 1917 primary.

Lem Graham
For Jailer.

We are authorized to announce LEM GRAHAM, of Cherokee, for Jailer of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Republicans in the primary election of August, 1917.

Isaac Adams
For Jailer.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Jailer of Lawrence-co., subject to the Democratic primary, August, 1917. ISAAC ADAMS, son of Arthur Adams, Cordell, Ky.

L. E. Wallace
For Surveyor.

We are authorized to announce L. E. WALLACE as a candidate for County Surveyor of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary election in August, 1917.

M. A. Hay
For County Clerk.

M. A. HAY announces his candidacy for Clerk of the Lawrence County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party in the primary election of August, 1917.

V. B. Shortridge
For Senator.

We are authorized to announce V. B. SHORTRIDGE, of Glenwood, Lawrence county, for the State Senate from the district composed of Boyd, Elliott, Greenup and Lawrence counties, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary of August, 1917.

W. M. Fulkerson
For County Attorney.

We are authorized to announce W. M. FULKERSON as a candidate for County Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic voters in the primary of August, 1917.

Horace G. Thompson
For County Clerk

We are authorized to announce Horace G. Thompson, of Dry Fork precinct, as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary election of August, 1917.

B. F. Diamond
For Magistrate

We are authorized to announce B. F. DIAMOND as a candidate for Magistrate in the district composed of Falls of Blaine and Bear creek precincts, subject to the action of the Democratic party in the August primary, 1917.

John H. Thompson
For County Judge

We are authorized to announce JNO. H. THOMPSON, of Potter, for County Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic party in the August primary, 1917.

REPUBLICANS

Lafe Walter
For County Judge

We are authorized to announce LAFE WALTER as candidate for County Judge of Lawrence county subject to the action of the Republican party at the next primary at which the candidates for this office are to be nominated.

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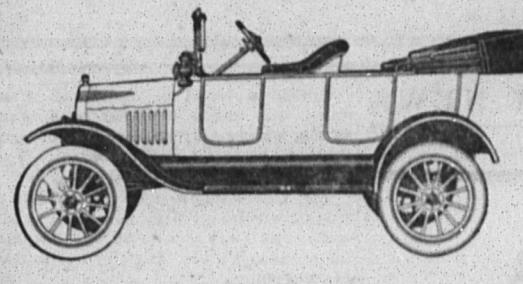
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ESTEP, KY.

Agent for part of north end of Lawrence Co.



James P. Prince
For County Judge

We are authorized to announce JAS. P. PRINCE as a candidate for County Judge of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Republican party in the August, 1917, primary.

Frank Pigg
For Jailer.

Gentlemen and Voters of Lawrence County—I hereby declare myself a candidate for Jailer of Lawrence-co., and most sincerely ask your support to be held August 4, 1917. FRANK PIGG, Louisa, Ky.

Drew Adams
For County Court Clerk.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Clerk of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Republican party at the August primary, 1917, DREW ADAMS, Cherokee, Ky.

J. P. Williams
For Jailer.

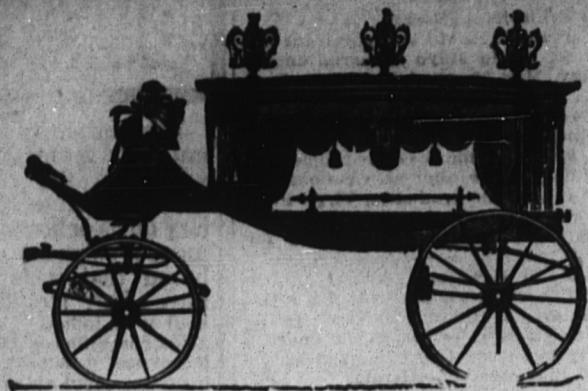
We are authorized to announce J. P. WILLIAMS as a candidate for Jailer of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Republican party in the primary of August, 1917.

David Boggs
For Judge.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Judge of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Republican party, at the August primary, 1917. DAVID BOOGES, Cherokee, Ky.

Garfield Roberts
For Jailer.

GARFIELD ROBERTS, of Busserville, desires to announce that he is a candidate for Jailer of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Republicans in the primary election in August



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KENTUCKY

MT. PLEASANT.

Singing school closed at this place Sunday evening.

Rev. L. M. Copley of Ashland, preached here Sunday and Sunday night.

Rev. M. A. Hay of Louisa, passed through here Sunday enroute to Morgans creek.

Miss Lorena Muncy is partially paralyzed.

Messrs. John Clark and Grover Diamond of Deep Hole attended church here Sunday night.

Misses Frances Skeens, Hester and Esther Bernard of Fallsburg, Miss May the Blankenship and Will Moore of this place took dinner at Mr. Frost's Sunday.

Miss Ethel Alley of Louisa, spent Saturday night and Sunday with her cousins at this place.

Alex Frazier, who has been working at Florence, Ind., has returned home.

Harvey and Will Moore were at Louisa Sunday evening.

Mrs. A. L. Moore and little daughter are on the sick list.

Miss Eliza Ranson took dinner with the Alley girls Sunday.

The pie social at this place Saturday night was quite a success.

Tola Diamond of Ethel, W. Va., who has been visiting relatives here returned home Wednesday.

Jay Frost was calling on Andrew Moore Sunday evening.

May Frazier spent Sunday evening with Ola Hays.

Walter Hays of Middletown, Ohio, is visiting home folks.

Pauline Diamond of Smoky Valley was calling on Earl Diamond Sunday.

Mrs. Josephine Kans and son John passed through here Wednesday enroute to Louisa.

George Thompson of Lick creek attended church here Sunday night.

Clell Mounts of Zelda was visiting his brother-in-law, Isaac Wallace, Sunday night.

Dewitt Diamond made a business trip to Louisa Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Short took their son Morton, to Louisa Saturday to be operated on for tonsilitis and adenoids.

The wedding bells will soon be ringing in our community again.

There will be church here next Saturday afternoon at one o'clock. Also, Sunday morning by Bro. Hay of Louisa.

Remember our Sunday school every Sunday morning. Our S. S. is extra good this spring, the house being crowded every Sunday.

JUNE.

MATTIE.

Rev. D. A. Hays preached a very interesting sermon at this place Sunday.

Died, on Thursday, May 3, Mrs. Ike Cordle of Blaine. Her body was brought here to her old home place for burial.

Bob Mead, wife and children returned to their home in Pennsylvania Monday after visiting relatives at this place. Mrs. Wallace Jordan and son Schuyler of Blaine were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Willie Moore has purchased a fine motorcycle. He says he can make regular trips to C. C. Hays' now.

Mrs. D. M. Justice returned home from Maysville last week after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Forrest Johnson.

Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Hays and little son spent Sunday with Mrs. and Mrs. J. D. Ball.

Minnie Moore was visiting relatives in Louisa last week.

Nora Thompson spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Dillon Moore.

Aunt Fanny Jordan is on the sick list.

Jay Moore has purchased a fine organ.

Fred Short made a business trip to Louisa last week.

Mrs. Ryd Childers spent Sunday with Mrs. B. F. Moore.

Mallie McKinster spent Saturday night with Mahala Moore.

Roy Hays still makes trips to Wilbur.

Zelda Moore, of Louisa, was here last week visiting relatives.

Dr. J. O. Moore, wife and children motored up our creek Thursday last and spent the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hays. MRS. GRUNDY.

OBITUARY.

Susie Miller, wife of John C. Miller, was born February the 25th, 1885, and died May the 13th, 1917, age 32 years, two months and 13 days. She leaves to mourn her death her husband and two children, Billy, 12, and Ivory, 7. Five others preceded her to the better world. Also, she leaves her father and a step-mother and seven brothers and two sisters and quite a number of relatives and friends. She was the daughter of the Rev. A. H. Miller and was a good Christian woman. She sought and found the Lord precious to her soul several years ago. She was a member of the M. P. Church in the class at her home on Mead Branch and was a faithful member until the good Lord took her home to join the church triumphant and to dwell in the house not made with hands, and with loved ones gone on before. Everything was done that willing hands could do to keep her with us, but she had to go. She suffered a long time with a lung trouble that brought her to her death. She bore her suffering with great patience and when the end came she looked up and said, "Praise the Lord! Now Lord take me home."

She was laid to rest in the E. H. Judd graveyard beside her children to await the resurrection morn.

The preachers who attended and gave a talk were the Rev. A. L. Moore and Rev. George Friley and Rev. G Miller and the order of Red Men very beautifully performed their part, her husband being a member.

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HELLIER NEWS

(By HARRY COHEN)

The American Press Says:

Don't be too hard on the young man who rushes into matrimony just now. He's only seeking to avoid a long engagement.—Philadelphia North American.

We are now convinced that what this country needs is more machine gons and fewer facine politicians.—Boston Transcript.

After being at war one week, we find we have many new friends and the same old enemy.—St. Louis Republic.

With the aid of Lens, the British expect to see Hindenburg's finish.—Chicago Tribune.

The Kaiser always refers to the United States as "They," but before he gets through he will discover that it is "It."—Boston Transcript.

Separated Twenty Years
Wife And Husband Meet.

J. P. Lester and Mrs. Della Lester met here this week after being divorced and apart 20 years. Mr. Lester lives in Wise-co., Va., near Virginia City. Mrs. Lester lives here with her son. Mr. Lester married again about 18 years ago; Mrs. Lester is still single. He returned to his home near Virginia City Wednesday.

Hellier Makes Clean-Up
On Edgewater Team.

Hellier scored 11 and Edgewater scored only 1 in a baseball game played last Sunday on the local diamond.

The Hellier team lined up as follows: A. Centers, P; Fred Spradlin C; Buck Stappleton, C, F; Everett Ratliff, S, S; Ora Blackford, 1st B; Will Messer, 2nd B; Floyd Castle, 3rd B; Mont Wooten, L, F; Luther Johnson, R, F. In the third inning two scores were made; in the fourth, two scores, in the sixth, six scores, and in the eighth inning, one, which is a record for the Hellier boys.

The Edgewater team consisted of the following: Alva Stafford, L, F; Frank Stafford, 2nd B; Clyde Burgess, S, S; C. Jordan, C; Gaylor Spriggs, C, F; Volney McPeeks, 3rd B; S. Ark, P; Geo. Watkins, R, F; B. Conley, 1st B. Carl Jordan scored one run for Edgewater. This is one of the hottest games played this season.

Coal Train Wrecks;
Passenger Service Halts.

Last Wednesday Hellier was without passenger train service. The coal shifter leaving here early last Wednesday morning wrecked at Rockhouse, about four miles from here. The engine and three coal cars derailed. It was necessary to call for the wrecking crew stationed at Russell. They arrived and cleared the wreckage Wednesday night. Train service was resumed to Hellier Thursday morning.

New Pool Parlor.

John Owens, our clever young barber, has put in a pool parlor in the addition next to his barber shop.

Whooping Cough Is Dangerous;
Protect Your Children!

Whooping cough is certainly a germ disease, but nothing is known of the germ that causes it. The germs are undoubtedly in the saliva and in the discharges from the nose. The incubation period is usually from four to fourteen days, but it may be as long as three weeks, and the "whoop" may not show itself for some time after the commencement of the disease. Whooping cough is highly infectious from the beginning, and anyone who is thought to be taking it should not be allowed to be in school. As a general rule, a child may be permitted to return to school in six weeks after the beginning of the whoop, provided the severe coughing spells have ceased.

Whooping cough is not usually supposed to be very dangerous, and often cases of it are not carefully quarantined. As a consequence, it is a widespread disease and causes more deaths than scarlet fever and small pox combined—more than any of the other common infectious diseases of the children from whooping cough, and even purposely expose them to it.

This is a most pernicious practice, for more than four fifths of all deaths from whooping cough are among children under two years of age. The older child is, the better he resists the disease, and adults usually either escape it altogether or have a mild attack.

Quarantine is very important in cases of whooping cough. Many persons think that every one must have the more common infectious diseases sooner or later, and often make no attempt to check the spread of these diseases. The consequence is that some of these rather mild diseases cause many more deaths than any other disease that we regard as much more important. This is especially true of whooping cough, and in this disease quarantine should be enforced with the greatest strictness. It is no more difficult to control whooping cough than it is to control certain other diseases that have been almost stamped out and there is no reason why it should be allowed to run unchecked.

Spitting A Dangerous Habit.

Spitting on the floors, sidewalks, in the station, post office, stores or similar places is a habit that is most dangerous to the health of a community. When tuberculous germs are left in such a place, they are sure to be carried into houses on shoes and trailing skirts. They are blown about in the air in dust, they are carried by flies, and in many other ways they are spread where they cause sickness and death. Not more than half the people who have tuberculous germs in their mouths know it, and no one should spit on the walk or pathway or public building and similar places or private house.

German Spy Suspect In Hellier;
Taken In Custody By Authorities.

More than ordinary excitement prevailed in Hellier last Friday afternoon when a man that gave his name as Sol Crandall, address as Brooklyn, N. Y., was suspected of being a German spy. Great suspicion was aroused, it is said, when he visited the various mines here, prowling around the power houses and looting over their equipment. He was immediately taken into custody by the Hellier officers and his identity demanded. It is said he was ordered to pull off his shoes, also turn-the-inside of his hat out in the search of papers. It is reported that no documents or

other papers were found on him to indicate that he was a German spy. He had a suit case along with him and this was thoroughly inspected; some of his papers indicated that he represented a land agency in Washington, D. C. After a severe grilling, and after the officers satisfying themselves that he was not a spy, as far as they could see, he was permitted to leave, which he did, promptly on the next train. Any hostile acts done in Hellier against the United States, and any persons caught in the acts will be severely dealt with according to law.

Col. Lampton Post Cards Cohen.

My Compliments, Old Top, to him, That gentleman and scholar, Who told you that a poem of mine Was worth, at least, a dollar. He has a literary taste Which marks an education At every point much higher than The Hellier elevation!

The young man that made the remark that Col. Lampton's poem was worth a \$1 bill, will kindly mail it to him. He Needs It.

—Harry Cohen.

Helen Holmes To Appear Again.

Helen Holmes, perhaps the most dazzling movie star in the world will make her appearance again at the Princess theater June 5th, in a serial entitled, "The Railroad Raiders." Helen Holmes' acts are quite a spectacle.

To-day, The Time.

Subscribe to-day and promise tomorrow. Hellier news in the Big Sandy News each week.

In Pikeville.

Mrs. Frank Jones was a business visitor in Pikeville last Friday.

In Huntington.

Mr. C. H. Warden, superintendent of Edgewater coal company, was in Huntington last week on business.

On The Sick List.

C. W. Arnold, who has been confined to his bed for some few days with a severe cold, is greatly improved and has resumed his position.

In Hellier.

Johnny Johnson, popular traveling representative was here visiting the different merchants last week.

PIKE COUNTY NEWS

DEAF MUTE KILLED BY TRAIN.

A very distressing accident occurred in the Pikeville railroad yard, just above the station Monday afternoon, when Mr. Buchanan, a deaf mute shoemaker was struck by the 6:10 train and was instantly killed. He had been employed for some time in the shoe shop by Coy Collins, and was going home from his work when he was killed.

Mr. James Scott of Frankfort, is a business visitor here this week.

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Miss Hattie Weddington of Coal Run is the guest of Miss Elva Bevins for a few days.

Mrs. Mary Thornbury is critically ill at her home here.

MOVED TO FLOYD COUNTY.

P. L. Clark has moved to Wheelwright where he has the position of barber for the coal company.

Miss May Smith, of Ashland, has accepted a position in the office of Judge Bowling.

HIGH SCHOOL.

The graduating exercises of the Pikeville High School were given in the auditorium of the First M. E. Church South on the evening of Wednesday, May 9th. This was a splendid class of whom any school might well be proud. The orations were very well prepared and well delivered, and were indeed a credit to Prof. Shaw, principal of the High School, who has had this class under his own personal care for two years. Mr. Shaw is a splendid educator and the school is very fortunate in securing his services for next year. He will spend the greater part of the summer doing special work in Columbia University.

On Thursday evening, May 10, Prof. Shaw and Kendrick entertained the graduating class of P. H. S. to a very delightful dinner party at the Pike hotel, followed by a theater party at the Imp to see the "Bugler of Algiers."

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Record very delightfully entertained the graduating class of 1917, Pikeville College Academy on Indian creek north of here, from wounds received last winter when he was struck by a falling tree while employed by the Fell Stave company.

Mrs. James Clevering, aged twenty-one, of the Edgewater section of Pike county, died after a long illness of tuberculosis.

Mrs. Pem Payne, aged eighty-one, one of the best known old women of the Pike county section, was found dead in the bed in the home of Mrs. T. J. Williamson, in Pikeville.

News from Appalachia, Va., announces the death near there of J. Buck Gibson, aged fifty-five, formerly of the Colly creek section of this county, after a long illness of a complication of diseases.

Charged with the murder of his father, Edmund Mullins, and his brother-in-law, James Mullins, Jesse Mullins, 18 years old, is in jail here. The killing occurred at the Mullins home in Wheaton Hollow, a section of Jenkins, this county. The weapon used was a large caliber Winchester.

The presentation of "A Midsummer Night's Dream" by the English classes on the college campus Tuesday night was excellent. The cast of characters was as follows:

Mrs. Mullins, the mother, and the

Characters.

Theseus, Duke of Athens—Jean Auxier. Egeus, father to Hermia—Blake Stalard. Lysander, in love with Hermia—Seaton Biggs. Demetrius, also in love with Hermia—Paul Riddie. Quince, a carpenter—Thomas Hatcher.

Bottom, a weaver—Doris Musick. Flute, a bellows-mender—Chas. King. Snout, a tinker—Harrison Bowles. Straveling, a tailor—R. T. Johnson. Hippolyta, betrothed to Theseus—Lucille Daves.

Hermia, in love with Lysander—Sally Vicars.

Helena, in love with Demetrius—Violet Walker.

Oberon, king of the fairies—Jno. Yost.

Titania, Queen of the fairies—Jo. Hereford.

Puck, attendant on Oberon—Cecil Hatcher.

Fairies: Kathryn Keel, Rachel Crawford, Lizzie Pett May, Magdalene Rogers, Ora Hatcher.

Act 1. Terrace before the palace of the Duke.

Act 2. Wood near Athens.

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The play was given under the great maple tree in front of Hendrick hall, which made the setting for an outdoor stage almost perfect.

The acting was good and the costumes were lovely, especially the dresses of the fairies, in rainbow colors. Miss Violet Walker, as Helena, and Miss Sallie Vicars, as Hermia, were very beautiful in their Athenian robes, Miss Walker being dressed in blue, and Miss Vicars in yellow, and the fairies themselves could not have looked lovelier, while Miss Lucille Daves, as the Dukes betrothed had all the dignity and charm of a Duchess.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lyne of Prestonsburg, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Auxier for the commencement exercises of Pikeville college, their daughter, Miss Grace Layne being one of the graduates from the musical department of the school.

Misses Josephine Harkins and Ruth Davidson of Prestonsburg, are guests of Mr. James Sowards and family for the commencement exercises this week.

Miss Florence Hereford of Prestonsburg, is the guest of friends here for a few days.

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LETCHER COUNTY

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The first to be investigated is the murder of Patrolman Ira E. Hunt in Jenkins a week ago, for which John Vanhouse, Manuel Vanhouse and Okey Vanhouse, brothers, of Johnson-co., were held Friday. The murder of Willie Sumpster at McRoberts is also to be investigated.

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